

October 3, 2014

Ms. Joan Shannon, President Burlington City Council City Hall 149 Church St. Burlington, VT 05401

Dear President Shannon,

On behalf of the Church Street Marketplace Commission, I would like to voice our support of the new CCTA bus terminal project. The Marketplace Commission has been in favor of CCTA's new Transit station at the St. Paul Street location from the beginning as we see this as the best site out of all considered.

It will provide a tremendous resource for our city on both a commercial and community level and provide much needed ease of access to public transportation. It will also eliminate congestion and improve safety at the Church and Cherry intersection. It is our hope that the City Council will provide the necessary easements to allow this project to be completed in 2015.

Sincerely,

Jeff Nick

Chair, Church Street Marketplace District Commission